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Hi, XLHS Class of 2027!

Welcome to Excel Academy Charter High School 😎 We are so excited to have you joining our Wolf Pack community as incoming 9th graders in just a couple short months. 🐾

Starting at a new school, especially high school, can be both scary and exciting. To help your 9th grade teachers know how to best support you with this transition, your first assignment is to write us a letter about yourself! 📝

The **“Letter to Your Future Advisor” assignment** can be found on the Class of 2027 **Google Classroom** you joined at the end of 8th Grade. The code is **h7jvwpv** That letter will be **due Sunday, August 20, at 11:59 pm**, a couple days before we meet you in person at Orientation.

Your **9th Grade Orientation** will be from **Tuesday, August 22 to Friday, August 25** and will be your chance to get to know the high school, your peers, and your teachers before academic classes start. The final orientation schedule and details will be sent out to you and your guardians at the beginning of August and posted on the Class of 2027 Google Classroom as well.

If you have any questions about your first assignment as a high schooler or Orientation before then, please don't hesitate to reach out to us at [emetts@excelacademy.org](mailto:emetts@excelacademy.org) OR [cmendezmoreno@excelacademy.org](mailto:cmendezmoreno@excelacademy.org).

We can't wait to meet you in August! 🎉

Sincerely,

Ms. Metts, *9th Grade World History Teacher*, & Ms. Mendez, *9th Grade English Teacher*